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Rome, July 26.

WE have received an Account, that the Algerine Corſairs have taken two more Neapolitan Tartanes, laden with Corn, off Fiumicino; as alſo a ſmall Genoeſe Veſſel, with eleven Men on board, whom they carried into Slavery.

Erlangen, Aug. 8. The Margrave our Sovereign, who returned to Bareith a few Days ago from his late Tour to the Southern Provinces of France and the principal Cities of Italy, is expected here this Night, as is the Margravine his Spouſe To-morrow, in order to partake of a great hunting Match the Beginning of next Week in the Neighbourhood of Schwabach, at which the Prince and Princeſs of Anſpach are expected.

Vienna, Aug. 9. Several extraordinary Councils have been lately held at Schonbrun, upon the preſent critical Situation of Affairs in Europe. By Letters from Conſtantinople of the 15th of laſt Month we are informed, that a terrible Fire broke out in that City a few Days before, in the Quarter called Cumpi-Capi, which burnt with ſuch Violence for ſeveral Hours, that upwards of 500 Houſes were conſumed, and many Perſons periſhed in the Flames.

Turin, Aug. 9. Yeſterday his Sardinian Majeſty, accompanied by the Duke of Savoy, returned to Turin in perfect Health from Vaudieres, where his Majeſty had been to make Uſe of the Baths.

Ratisbon, Aug. 12. The Seſſion of the Diet is adjourned during the long Vacation, which laſts till towards the End of October next; and the Members of that auguſt Aſſembly are almoſt all departed for their reſpective Country Seats.

Munich, Aug. 12. The Elector of Cologn, who has ſpent ſome Time at this Court, purpoſes to leave the ſame on Tueſday next.

Leipſick, Aug. 13. We are aſſured, that on the Day the Prince of Anhalt-Cothen died, Prince Charles George his Son took upon himſelf the Management of the Affairs of his Government; after which the Members of the Council, the Magiſtrates, and the Troops in Garriſon at Cothen, took the Oaths of Fidelity to his Highneſs. The deceaſed Prince, who was 58 Years of Age, came to the Government of his Eſtates after the Death of Prince Leopold his Brother, which happened on the 19th of November 1728.

Dreſden, Aug. 13. The King took the Diverſion of hunting on Wedneſday laſt, in which his Majeſty was accompanied by the Princes Xavier and Charles. Count Vitzthum, lately appointed Miniſter from this Court to that of France, in the Room of the late Count Bellegarde, intends to ſet out for Paris towards the End of the Month.

Duſſeldorp, Aug. 15. According to our laſt Advices from Manheim, the Elector our Sovereign, and the Princeſs his Spouſe, propoſe to ſet out next Sunday for this Place, and are expected here on the Thurſday following. The Count de Wartenſleben, Miniſter from the States General of the United Provinces, and the Count de Riacourt, Envoy from the King of Poland, Elector of Saxony, are alſo expected here about the ſame Time.

Turin, Aug. 16. This Morning died, after a ſhort Illneſs, tho' in an advanc'd Age, Madame Deſhais, Governeſs to their Royal Highneſſes the Princeſſes, very much regretted by all the Royal Family.

Cologne, Aug. 18. We learn from Treves, that the Elector of that Name, who has been greatly indiſpoſed, is now perfectly recovered.

Hamburgh, Aug. 22. The Hamburghers have ſent out this Year, eighteen Ships upon the Greenland Fiſhery, of which thirteen are returned with Forty-five Whales. And for the Seal Fiſhery, ſixteen Veſſels, which are all arrived, with pretty good Succeſs.

Hague, Aug. 26. The States of Holland are ſtill aſſembled, but their Noble Mightineſſes will, it is thought, ſeparate in a few Days. Her Royal Highneſs the Princeſs Governante is ſtill at Soeſdyck, and the Time of her Return to this Place ſtill uncertain. The Advices from the Frontier of Flanders and Brabant, confirm the March of the French Troops to the different Camps mark'd out for them, viz. at Aymerie, at Richemont, and near Dunkirk, where they are hard at Work to compleat the old, and make new Fortifications. It is uncertain whether the French Camps will be compoſed of more or fewer Troops than laſt Year, tho' all the Regiments in Garriſon in the French Frontier Towns, are not order'd to encamp as yet. Notwithſtanding all the Reports that have been ſpread to the contrary, it is very certain, that the Troops of their High Mightineſſes, and of the Empreſs Queen, are ſtill very quiet in the Towns of the Barrier, and the other Places of the Auſtrian Netherlands.

Victualling-Office, Auguſt 27, 1755.

The Commiſſioners for Victualling his Majeſty's Navy do hereby give Notice, that on Wedneſday the 24th of September next, exactly at Twelve o'Clock at Noon, they will be ready to receive Propoſals from ſuch Perſons as are inclineable to furniſh Oxen and Hogs Sea-Store, at the Ports of London, Portſmouth, mouth, and Dover.

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Victualling-Office, Auguſt 27, 1755.

The Commiſſioners for Victualling His Majeſty's Navy do hereby give Notice, That on Wedneſday the 17th of September next, exactly at Twelve o'Clock at Noon, they will be ready to receive Propoſals from ſuch Perſons as may be willing to ſerve His Majeſty's Navy with Britiſh Butter, Suffolk, Cheſhire, Warwickſhire, or Glouceſterſhire Cheeſe, for one Year, commencing from the 30th of September next. The Conditions of the Contract may be ſeen at the Secretary's Office at the Victualling-Office, London.

Union Fire Office.

The Directors of the Union Society for inſuring Goods and Merchandize from Loſs by Fire, give Notice, that the Half Yearly General Meeting of the Members of the ſaid Society, for the Choice of Eight Directors for the Year inſuing, will be held by Balloting at their Office in Maiden-Lane near Cheapſide, on Tueſday the 23d of September, 1755, from Nine in the Forenoon, to Six in the Evening; and that the ſaid General Meeting will be continued by Adjournment, till Wedneſday the Day following, where all who are inſured in the ſaid Office are deſired to be preſent.

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ALL Perſons who have any Parts or Shares in, or any other Claims or Demands upon the good Ship or Veſſel called the Humphrey of Shields, William Pigg late Maſter, are deſired to ſend an Account thereof to Mr. John Baker in Newcaſtle, or Mr. John Letteney, Attorney at Law in North Shields.

THE Creditors of John Wood, late of Fiſhmonger Alley, Southwark, in the County of Surry, Currier and Leather-Cutter, a Bankrupt, who have proved their Debts under the Commiſſion, are deſired to meet the ſurviving Aſſignee of the ſaid Bankrupt, on Thurſday the 4th of September next, at Six o'Clock in the Evening preciſely, at Mr. Richard Shaw's, at the Sign of the Hand Inn in Bermondſey-ſtreet, to aſſent to or diſſent from the Aſſignee commencing one or more Suit or Suits at Law or in Equity, for Recovery of the ſaid Bankrupt's Eſtate, and to compound, agree or leave to Reference any Debt or Demand relating thereto, and upon other ſpecial Affairs.

THE Creditors of William Efford, late of Stanhope-ſtreet in the Pariſh of St. Clement Danes in the County of Middleſex, lately come out of the Fleet Priſon, having taken the Benefit of the late inſolvent Debtors Act, are deſired to meet at the Bloſſom's Inn in Lawrance Lane, at Six o'Clock, on Monday the 8th Day of September, to chuſe one or more Aſſignee or Aſſignees.

THE Commiſſioners in a Commiſſion of Bankrupt awarded and iſſued forth againſt John Dearling the Younger, now or late of the Pariſh of St. Michael Queen Hith, London, Merchant, intend to meet on the 26th Day of September next, at Three of the Clock in the Afternoon, at Guildhall, London, in order to make a Dividend of the ſaid Bankrupt's Eſtate and Effects; when and where the Creditors who have not already proved their Debts, are to come prepared to prove the ſame, or they will be excluded the Benefit of the ſaid Dividend.

THE under-mentioned Perſons claiming the Benefit of the Act lately paſſed for Relief of Inſolvent Debtors, the following Notices have been brought to the Printer of the London Gazette, to be inſerted in this Paper, and are herein inſerted in Obedience to the ſaid Act.

The following Perſons being Fugitives for Debt and beyond the Seas on or before the Firſt of January 1755, and having ſurrendered themſelves to the Keeper of the King's Bench Priſon in the County of Surry, hereby give Notice, that they intend to take the Benefit of the late Act of Parliament made in the Twenty Eighth Year of the Reign of his preſent Majeſty King George the Second, intitled, An Act for Relief of Inſolvent Debtors, at the next General or Quarter Seſſions of the Peace to be held in and for the ſaid County of Surry, or at the Adjournment of that, or of the laſt General or Quarter Seſſions, which ſhall happen next after Thirty Days from the Publication hereof, viz.

Firſt Notice.

Elizabeth Young, formerly of Glouceſter Court, in the Pariſh of St. James Weſtminſter, in the County of Middleſex, late of Queen Street, in the Pariſh of St. Margaret Weſtminſter, in the ſame County, Spinſter.

George Slaughter, formerly of Batterſea, late of Barnes, in the County of Surry, Gentleman.

Iſaac Bennett, formerly of Deptford in the County of Kent, late of the Pariſh of St. Mary Magdalen Bermondſey, in the County of Surry, Mariner.

Mathew Elkins, formerly of the Pariſh of St. Mary Rotherhithe, late of the Pariſh of St. John, in the County of Surry, Steward.

The following Perſon being a Priſoner for Debt in the King's Bench Priſon in the County of Surry, hereby gives Notice, that he intends to take the Benefit of the late Act of Parliament made in the Twenty Eighth Year of the Reign of his preſent Majeſty King George the Second, intitled, An Act for Relief of Inſolvent Debtors, at the next General or Quarter Seſſions of the Peace to be held for the ſaid County of Surry, or at the Adjournment of that, or of the laſt General or Quarter Seſſions, which ſhall happen next after Thirty Days from the Publication hereof, viz.

Firſt Notice.

John Poch, late of St. Andrew's Street, in the Pariſh of St. Giles in the Fields, in the County of Middleſex, Brazier.

The following Perſon being a Fugitive for Debt and beyond the Seas on or before the Firſt of January 1755, and having ſurrendred himſelf to the Keeper of the Marſhalſea Priſon in Southwark in the County of Surry, hereby gives Notice, that he intends to take the Benefit of the late Act of Parliament made in the Twenty Eighth Year of the Reign of his preſent Majeſty King George the Second, intitled, An Act for Relief of Inſolvent Debtors, at the next General or Quarter Seſſions of the Peace to be held for the ſaid County of Surry, or at the Adjournment of that, or of the laſt General or

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Quarter Seſſions, which ſhall happen next after Thirty Days from the Publication hereof, viz.

Firſt Notice.

William Farley, formerly of the Pariſh of St. Mary Magdalen Bermondſey, late of Clarke's Orchard, Rotherhithe, both in the County of Surry, Shipwright.

The following Perſons being Fugitives for Debt, and beyond the Seas on or before the firſt Day of January 1755, and having ſurrendered themſelves to the Keeper of his Majeſty's Priſon of the Fleet, hereby give Notice, that they intend to take the Benefit of the late Act of Parliament made in the Twenty Eighth Year of the Reign of his preſent Majeſty King George the Second, intituled, An Act for Relief of Inſolvent Debtors, at the next General or Quarter Seſſions of the Peace to be held at the Guildhall of the City of London, or at the Adjournment of that, or of the laſt General or Quarter Seſſions, which ſhall happen next after Thirty Days from the Publication hereof, viz.

Firſt Notice.

James Franks, formerly of St. Catherine's near the Tower of London, late of St. James's Street in the County of Middleſex, Victualler.

William Atkinſon, formerly of Virginia Street, St. John's Wapping, late of Eaſt Smithfield, in the Pariſh of Aldgate, Tripeman.

Alexander Keer, late of St. John's Wapping in the County of Middleſex, Marriner.

The following Perſon being a Fugitive for Debt and beyond the Seas on or before the Firſt of January 1755, and having ſurrendred himſelf to the Keeper of the Poultry Compter in the City of London, hereby gives Notice, that he intends to take the Benefit of the late Act of Parliament made in the Twenty Eighth Year of the Reign of his preſent Majeſty King George the Second, intitled, An Act for Relief of Inſolvent Debtors, at the next General or Quarter Seſſions of the Peace to be held at the Guildhall of the City of London, in and for the ſaid City, or at the Adjournment of that, or of the laſt General or Quarter Seſſions, which ſhall happen next after Thirty Days from the Publication hereof, viz.

Firſt Notice.

John Fry, late of Kingſenton in the County of Middleſex, Farrier.

The following Perſons being Fugitives for Debt, and beyond the Seas on or before the firſt Day of January 1755, and having ſurrendered themſelves to the Keeper of the King's Bench Priſon in the County of Surry, hereby give Notice, that they intend to take the Benefit of the late Act of Parliament made in the Twenty Eighth Year of the Reign of his preſent Majeſty King George the Second, intitled, An Act for Relief of Inſolvent Debtors, at the next General or Quarter Seſſions of the Peace to be held in and for the County of Surry, or at the Adjournment of that, or of the laſt General or Quarter Seſſions, which ſhall happen next after Thirty Days from the FIRST Publication of the undermentioned Names, viz.

Second Notice.

William Ricketts, late of Great Bandy Leg Walk, in the Pariſh of St. Saviour Southwark, in the County of Surry, Printer.

John Shakeſpear, formerly of Baldwin's Gardens, in the Pariſh of St. Andrew Holborn, late of Craven's Buildings in Drury Lane, in the Pariſh of St. Clement Danes in the County of Middleſex, Taylor, Stay-maker, Dealer and Chapman.

John Blagrave, formerly of Rotherhithe in the County of Surry, late of Portſmouth in the County of Hants, Dealer and Chapman.

Thomas Williams, formerly of St. Martin's Lane, Cannon Street, late of White Croſs Street in the Pariſh of St. Luke Old Street, in the County of Middleſex, Cheeſemonger.

The following Perſons being Priſoners for Debt in the King's Bench Priſon in the County of Surry, hereby give Notice, that they intend to take the Benefit of the late Act of Parliament made in the Twenty Eighth Year of the Reign of his preſent Majeſty King George the Second, intitled, An Act for Relief of Inſolvent Debtors, at the next General or Quarter Seſſions of the Peace to be held in and for the ſaid County of Surry, or at the Adjournment of that, or of the laſt General or Quarter Seſſions, which ſhall happen next after Thirty Days from the FIRST Publication of the undermentioned Names, viz.

Second Notice.

John Conſtable, late of James Street near the Haymarket, in the Pariſh of St. Martin in the Fields, in the County of Middleſex, Victualler.

Chriſtopher Webb, formerly of the Pariſh of St. Mary le Bon, in the County of Middleſex, late of the Pariſh of St. George the Martyr, Southwark, in the County of Surry, Victualler.

The following Perſons being Fugitives for Debt and beyond the Seas on or before the firſt of January 1755, and having ſurrendered themſelves to the Warden of his Majeſty's Priſon of the Fleet, hereby give Notice, that they intend to take the Benefit of the late Act of Parliament made in the Twenty Eighth Year of the Reign of his preſent Majeſty King George the Second, intitled, An Act for Relief of Inſolvent Debtors, at the next General or Quarter Seſſions of the Peace to be held at the Guildhall of the City of London, in and for the ſaid City, or at the Adjournment of that, or of the laſt General or Quarter Seſſions, which ſhall happen next after Thirty Days from the FIRST Publication of the undermentioned Names, viz.

Second Notice.

Henry Wheeler, formerly of St. Mary Rotherhithe, late of St. Catharine's by the Tower, Mariner.

Third Notice.

Charles Gregory, formerly of the Pariſh of St. John Wapping, in the County of Middleſex, late of Caſtle Court in the Pariſh of St. Michael Cornhill, Painter.

William King, jun. late of the Pariſh of Newbury, in the County of Berks, Dealer and Chapman.

The following Perſon being a Fugitive for Debt and beyond the Seas on or before the Firſt of January 1755, and having ſurrendered himſelf to the Keeper of his Majeſty's Goal for the City of Worceſter and County of the ſame City, hereby gives Notice, that he intends to take the Benefit of the late Act of Parliament made in the Twenty Eighth Year of the Reign of his preſent Majeſty King George the Second, intitled, An Act for Relief of Inſolvent Debtors, at the next General or Quarter Seſſions of the Peace to be held at the Guildhall of the City of Worceſter, in and for the ſaid City and County of the ſame, or at the Adjournment of that, or of the laſt General or Quarter Seſſions, which ſhall happen next after Thirty Days from the FIRST Publication of the undermentioned Name, viz.

Second Notice.

John Doford, formerly of the Borough of Southwark, late of the City of Worceſter, Felt-maker.

The following Perſons being Priſoners for Debt in his Majeſty's Goal of Hertford in the County of Hertford, hereby give Notice, that they intend to take the Benefit of the late Act of Parliament made in the Twenty Eighth Year of the Reign of his preſent Majeſty King George the Second, intitled, An Act for Relief of Inſolvent Debtors, at the next General or Quarter Seſſions of the Peace to be held in and for